

Friday  
10:15 AM

May 25, 1945

Dear Mom and Pop,

We didn't do much yesterday or today. I received 12 letters from you this morning. Most of them were April's but one was May 3. No packages yet. I got a snapshot that was taken in Washington, D.C. Chester Fuku-lara and I were there on a weekend pass and had it taken on the street. I didn't come out good but you can at least see me. I looked in my diary and found the date. I also got a snapshot of the dance band taken in France. This is about half of the regular band.

I'm sending a request for something - anything you love.

I REQUEST YOU TO SEND ME SOME CANDY.

You know, the diary I'm keeping ought to be pretty interesting after I come back. I keep the important happenings in it every day. I didn't bring it up to the front because I might have been captured so I wrote it down on a note book and later filled it in the diary. If I'm not home by the end of the year I'll send it, but the rumors are that the 442 is going back.

Well more tomorrow,

Tad



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VIA AIR MAIL

request for candy

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